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TOSEC 99

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: VISIT OF SOVIET PARLIAMENTARIANS

1. VISIT OF SOVIET PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION, HEADED BY CANDIDATE POLITBURO MEMBER PONOMAREV, HAS BEEN POSTPONED FROM MAY 6 UNTIL MAY 20 AT SOVIET REQUEST BECAUSE OF PONOMAREV'S ILLNESS. NEW DATES HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED BY VICE PRESIDENT FORD AND SPEAKER ALBERT, AND REARRANGEMENT OF PROGRAM NOW UNDER WAY.

2. GROUP WILL ARRIVE WASHINGTON MAY 19 FOR PROGRAM TO BEGIN MAY 20. WILL TRAVEL WASHINGTON TO SAN FRANCISCO ON MAY 24, FROM SAN FRANCISCO TO NEW YORK CITY ON MAY 27, AND DEPART FOR USSR ON MAY 29.

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3. ALTHOUGH STILL PROVISIONAL, PROGRAM IN CONGRESS WILL

INCLUDE SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSIONS, RECEPTIONS AND LUNCHEONS  
WITH PARTICIPATION BY VICE PRESIDENT FORD, SPEAKER ALBERT  
AND RANKING MEMBERS OF SENATE AND HOUSE. WE RECOMMEND  
THAT YOU OR DEPUTY SECRETARY HOST RECEPTION AND, IF YOU  
CONCUR, WILL REQUEST APPOINTMENT FOR GROUP WITH PRESIDENT.  
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